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### **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

This constitutes an Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. The attached documents listed on the accompanying "IDS List of References" (a substitute for Form PTO/SB/08) are hereby brought to the Examiner's attention in the patent application identified above.

### **REMARKS**

Of the three presently submitted foreign patent documents, Cite Nos. F1 and F2 as listed on the IDS List of References are not in English.

### **Concise Explanation of Relevance/Copy of Translation** **Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3)**

English abstracts of Cite Nos. F1 and F2, prepared by Patent Abstracts of Japan, and machine translations in English of the entire specifications for Cite Nos. F1 and F2 are readily available to the applicant through the Japanese Patent Office Web site. Accordingly, the corresponding PAJ abstract and machine translation of the specification are attached to the back of each reference.

(Cite No. F3 is the PCT Gazette publication of an International application.)

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider these references, and to indicate so on the accompanying Form PTO/SB/08A and make the document of record in the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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